

**348.1 Consolidation and powers.**

The purpose of this chapter is to grant to hospital trustees additional powers, and to consolidate and combine under one management all of the public hospital service of the counties and cities coming within its provisions.

[C27, 31, 35, §5368-a1; C39, §**5368.1**; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §348.1]